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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : Niwa SATORU
SERIAL NO. : 09/495,447 ✓
FILED : January 31, 2000
FOR : BRAKING SYSTEM HAVING SWITCHING DEVICE
FOR SUPPLYING ENERGY TO ELECTRICALLY
CONTROLLED BRAKE THROUGH BRAKE
CONTROLLER UPON OPERATION OF BRAKE
OPERATING MEMBER
GROUP ART UNIT : 3683
EXAMINER : M. BURCH

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 22, 2003, the Applicant respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks:

Please amend the application as follows:

In the drawings:

Please add new Fig. 11 as shown in the attached sheet. A request for approval of proposed drawing changes has also been submitted herewith on a separate sheet.